

COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Aug. 1.—There is no change to note in the market to-day, and prices remain at about yesterday's quotations. But little flour is coming in. Wheat is quiet and receipts are good; about 370 bushels were offered and sold at from 65 to 102 for poor to choice. Corn is unchanged, and 212 bushels brought 55 and 57. Rye sold at 54, and the oats that were offered were withdrawn.

GREAT WHEAT CORNER.—A dispatch from Chicago, dated yesterday, says:

"The corner in wheat culminated at the highest price for cash was 110 at the close; 110 1/2 was paid for July. There was less excitement than anticipated, the price only having gone up about 2c during the entire day, and the corner showing much less strength here than in Milwaukee. There is much discussion as to whether the rule of the State warehouse board as interpreted by the directors as regarding the sale of wheat to deliver winter wheat on contracts in place of spring will stand in court. Test cases will at once be tried, and the shorts, who feared winter wheat mixed with spring in settlement, will insist that the rule which makes such wheat grade as spring is in force, and that they have the right to deliver winter wheat on contracts on the ground that this whole operation is a corner contrary to law and to the regulations of the board of trade, which must now fix a settlement price."

A dispatch from Milwaukee says:

"The corner in July wheat culminated amid great excitement at 2.50 p. m. yesterday. A few minutes before noon the board closed. McGeech instructed his brokers to bid \$1.30 for the right to deliver winter wheat on contracts, and the price at which delinquents must settle. Settlements were made for all but \$400 bushels. This amount is due from prominent members of the board, who claim their deals are marginated to a higher figure than the closing price, but the right to deliver winter wheat on contracts is settled. The matter will be thrown into the hands of a committee on arbitration. McGeech & Co.'s profits by the corner are variously estimated at from \$100,000 to \$500,000. It is certainly the most successful manipulation ever attempted in the Northwest. It is now thought August wheat is cornered."

NEW YORK, August 1.—Stocks steady. Money 2. Gold 100. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat dull and unchanged. Corn steady.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 1.—Virginia Gold 29; do deferred 35; do consolidated, 55; do 24 series 25; past due coupons 78. Cotton quiet; middling 11 1/2. Flour steady and unchanged. Wheat—Southern active and lower; Western quiet and easier. Southern red winter 10 1/2; do 10 1/4; No. 2 Western winter 10 1/2; do 10 1/4; No. 2 10 1/2. Corn—Southern steady; Western quiet and easier; Southern white 5 1/2; do yellow 5 1/2; Western mixed, spot and Aug. 47; Sept. 48; Oct. 49 44 1/2; do 45; Oats steady and unchanged. Rye quiet and steady at 57. Hay firm and unchanged. Coffee firm and unchanged. Sugar steady and unchanged. Whiskey dull at \$1.05.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, AUGUST 1.
Sailed—5 3 | Sun set—7 9

ARRIVED.
Str Express, Baltimore, to J. Brothers & Co. CLEARERS.

Str J. W. Thompson, Norfolk, by E. A. Reed & Str Mattano, Norfolk, by J. A. Reed & Co. Str Harry B. Condon, Dover, N. H., by Haupp & Bait Coal Co.

PASSED DOWN.
Schr Richmond, Wareham.

MEMORANDA.
Schr S. C. Hart sailed from Bath, Maine, for Washington 20th.

Schr Morning Star, Washington, at Philadelphia 30th.

Schrs American Team, Jos. P. Baker, Florence Dean and Alfred Bralrook (see below) sailed from Providence for Georgetown 30th.

Schr Henry B. Condon sailed from Providence for this port 30th.

Schrs Sarah C. Smith, Georgetown for Boston; Lizzie West, Gardiner for this port, and Ruth T. Carlele, Pittsford for Washington, at Vineyard Haven 31st.

Providence, July 31.—Schr Alfred Bralrook, from Providence for Georgetown, D. C., light laden, is ashore on Despair Island, in this bay, and must have assistance to get off.

Vineyard Haven, July 31.—The schr. Priscilla T. Willits lost her mainmast and the schr. John Whisman and Wm. D. Hilton each split their sails badly in coming in to-day.

CANAL COMMERCE.
Arrived.—Boats M. Kersey, J. W. Morris, J. E. Anderson, J. A. Alexander, Rockabach and J. L. Reed, to American Canal Co. Susan Charles, Borden & Lovell, Laura and J. M. Stoneraker, to Haupp & Bait Coal Co.; J. J. West and A. Greenless, Jr., to J. P. Agnew & Co.

Departed.—Boats Kluer & Katie, H. G. Flagg, Dr. M. M. Lewis, Susan Charles, A. Main and Borden & Lovell.

COPARTNERSHIP.
I have associated with me in business Mr. JOHN T. HAMMOND, and will continue the wholesale and retail grocery, General Commission and Liquor business, as heretofore, at my old stand, northeast corner of Cameron and Royal streets, under the firm name of W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

Thankful for past favors extended to myself, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same for the new firm.

W. A. JOHNSON.
JOHN T. HAMMOND.

W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS
OF LIQUORS, ALSO
AGENTS FOR ARLINGTON BOTTLED
ALE AND PORTER AND LAF-
LANDS AND RANNEY
POWDER.

Consignments of Grain, Flour and all kinds of Country Produce solicited.
Liberal advances made on consignments in store.
Northeast corner of Cameron and Royal sts., Alexandria, Va. aug 1

JOS. HIGGINS,
Plumber and Steam Fitter,
NO. 19 SOUTH PITT STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
All orders promptly attended to. aug 1

HAMBURG EDGING.
August 1st, 1878.
We received to-day per express a choice assortment of EDGING and INSERTINGS very cheap.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. Hoopes, No. 100 King street,
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By Harrison & O'Neal, Auctioneers,
CLOSING OUT SALE OF IMPORTED GOODS.
Will be closed out to-morrow, August 1st, at 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 p. m., at No. 74 King street, the entire stock of ROBEKMAN, LAVA, FRUSCAN and PARIAN VASES, CARD STANDS, STATUETTES, &c., &c. Sale positive and without reserve. The ladies are special invited to attend this closing sale. Great bargains will be had.

By J. C. MILBURN.
CHOICE OLD GOVERNMENT JAVA,
MARACAIBO, LAQUAYIA and RIO COFFEES received to-day by
J. C. MILBURN.

EXTRA CHOICE DRIED BEEF, for salting and chipping, received to-day by
J. C. MILBURN.

VERY SMALL HAMS, weighing from 4 to 10 lbs each, received to-day by
J. C. MILBURN.

A FINE SELECTION OF CIGARS just opened at very low rates.
GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

TOILET SOAPS—A nice assortment in store at low figures.
GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

PURE PORT WINE just received
GEO. McBURNEY & SON

FRESH OATMEAL received this day.
ALLEN C. HARMON.

NO. 1 MACKEREL, fat, received to-day by
J. C. MILBURN.

LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—August 1, 1878. For the Middle Atlantic States cloudy and rainy weather, warmer southerly winds, and falling barometer.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.—The Washington Republican says:

"Mrs. Bassey, residing in Virginia, near the Chain Bridge, was stopped on the road near that bridge, on Monday, the 29th instant, by a large negro man, who sprang into the back part of her buggy, and seizing her by the shoulders, demanded her money, which she gave him amounting to \$5. After obtaining the money the thief tore from her neck a gold chain, but, owing to the violence with which he seized the chain, the watch which was attached to it was snatched off and remained in her pocket. After obtaining the money and chain the scoundrel deliberately overturned the buggy, throwing Mrs. Bassey in the road, so as to prevent her giving an early alarm, and then made his escape."

This is the second or third robbery reported in the same neighborhood within a few days.

FIRE.—Some unknown incendiary attempted last night to burn the farm dwelling west of the Soldier's Cemetery, lately occupied by Wm. J. Holland. The flames were kindled against the weather boarding in a corner made by a chimney. A neighboring family seeing the light ran to the house and aroused the occupants, and by their joint exertions the fire was soon put out with very slight damage and without raising a general alarm. A colored family occupy the premises, and a boy who sleeps in the stable had driven off some intruder a short time before the fire was discovered. The premises are insured.

DANGEROUS.—The attention of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department has been called to several houses in the city, which are very inviting objects to the incendiary. All of the cases have been referred to the Superintendent of Police, whose duty it is to abate the nuisances. This morning a house was discovered where, inside of a broken glass door, on a side street, a quantity of straw and hay were stored, with nothing to prevent a passer by from setting fire to it, either with match or cigar. Such places are exceedingly dangerous to surrounding property and fruitful causes of conflagrations.

COL. M. D. BALL, Collector of the district of Alaska, arrived at Sitka on the 10th of July and writes to a friend in this city: "I am safe at my destination, as you see above. I find everything peaceable, except that the Indians got on a royal bender yesterday and killed one old chief. But this is no uncommon occurrence when they get under the influence of 'Hoochoo', an infernal liquor which they make out of molasses, by means of a still made of an old oil can, or anything of that kind."

COLORADO BAPTISTS.—A number of members of the Second Baptist Church, colored, at Fall's Church, having withdrawn therefrom and applied for recognition as the Mt. Zion Baptist Church. Several ministers of the Church, from this city and Washington, went up to that village yesterday and heard the statements of the parties. It was finally resolved to advise the withdrawing members to return to their former church, and heal their differences.

SHIPYARD ITEMS.—Affairs at the Shipyard are tolerably brisk.

The steamship John Gibson will have her caulking finished to-morrow, and will be launched.

The tug Comet is also being caulked at the yard.

The yachts Americans and Ella Treadwell are both lying at the yard waiting to be hauled up and caulked.

YELLOW FEVER.—Some excitement has been caused in this city, by the reports in the morning papers, of two cases of yellow fever in Fredericksburg. There being close connection by railroad with that town many timid persons are getting badly scared. The cases, however, seem to be isolated and there is little danger of contagion. This city is now in a good state of health, but many of the alleys and by ways require the attention of the street cleaners.

APPOINTED.—Miss Fannie E. Kellogg, a Presbyterian missionary, has been appointed postmistress at Sitka, Alaska, on the recommendation of Col. M. D. Ball, the collector at Sitka, formerly of this city, who warmly commends the appointment. He says "Miss Kellogg is well qualified for the position, which is a thankless and profitless one here, and yet of the very greatest importance to the civilized residents of this place."

CONCERT ON THE WATER.—A vocal and instrumental concert will be given the patrons of the Mary Washington, on her excursion to-morrow (Friday) night. The leading musical talent of this city and Washington are expected to participate. Mr. Rodgers, the gentleman who so successfully carried out the idea of singing clubs in Indiana during the "Blue Jeans canvass," will be present.

FILLED UP.—In consequence of the late heavy rains, Rock Creek, at Georgetown, has been almost completely filled with sand, and a canal boat laden with coal has been so imbedded in it that it has been impossible to get her adrift, notwithstanding that a steam dredge and seven mules were employed for that purpose. The dredge was put to work yesterday in dredging the creek.

DEEDS AND LICENSES.—During the month of July seven marriage licenses were issued and fifteen deeds recorded in the office of the clerk of the Corporation Court. During the same period four marriage licenses were issued and twelve deeds recorded in the clerk's office of the County Court.

POLICE ITEMS.—There were no cases at the Mayor's office this morning.

Justice Tisdell had before him the case of Captain Hill, charged with assaulting Lyander Johnson, his former mate. The case was dismissed on payment of costs by the accused.

DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.—Mr. William Nowland, an old and well known citizen, died this morning after a lingering illness at an advanced age. The deceased was, for many years, assistant clerk of the market and was very popular among the market people generally.

Local Brevities.
Gens. B. F. Scribner, of Indiana, and W. Kryznowski, of California, have been appointed treasury agents for the seal fisheries of Alaska, and have gone out to join Col. Ball.

It is expected that the repairs to the outlet lock on the C. & O. Canal, at Georgetown, will be completed and that boats will be enabled to pass through this afternoon.

A special boat will be run to Washington to-morrow night returning at midnight.

Attention is called to the card of Mr. Joseph Higgins, who is prepared to do all kinds of plumbing work in a satisfactory manner.

Lodile's Headache Specific contains no injurious substance, cures headache in 5 to 20 minutes by the watch. Price 50 cents in large bottles. Rheumatism can only be cured by using Durang's Rheumatic Remedy.

For upwards of thirty years Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children. It corrects acidity of the stomach, relieves wind colic, regulates the bowels, cures dysentery and diarrhea, whether arising from teething or other causes. An old and well tried remedy. 25 cents a bottle.

The Boston Belling Company.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—The second meeting of the stockholders of the Boston Belling Company was held this morning. About two thirds of the stock of the company was represented. There was no business transacted as the attorney for the company informed the stockholders that it would be necessary to call a special meeting and that the object of the meeting should be stated in the call. It was then decided to call a special meeting for next Thursday, at which the matter of the Company going into bankruptcy will be determined. The meeting then adjourned to Monday next. President Durant is engaged in preparing a statement regarding the mutual agreement between Mr. Tappan, Mr. Cheever and himself for publication. He is highly indignant that that agreement had been made public and characterized it as one of the greatest outrages that had ever been committed. He says the agreement was all right, and that the transactions were perfectly legitimate and honest. He was very decided in placing the responsibility for the publication of the agreement on Mr. Tappan. Mr. Durant claims that the statement which he is now preparing will explain the whole to the satisfaction of all parties.

Labor Question, &c.
NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The committee appointed by the House of Representatives to consider the labor question, met to-day in the Postoffice building. There were present Messrs. A. S. Hewitt, of New York, J. M. Thompson, of Pennsylvania, W. W. Rice, of Massachusetts and Thomas A. Boyd, of Illinois. A communication was read from the clerk of the Committee on Accounts, of the House of Representatives detailing what expenses incurred by the committee would not be allowed them. Among these were mentioned services of clerks, stenographers and sergeant at arms. The Clerk of Accounts said he would have a conference with the clerk of the House regarding the matter and would let Mr. Hewitt, who had written on the subject, know. When the letter had been read the committee went into executive session to consider the question as to whether they should go on with their work in the meantime, and take the risk of their outlays being repaid.

Walter H. Shupe, greenback editor, failed again to appear in court to-day and an order was granted compelling him to appear to-morrow or show cause.

Astronomical.
DENVER, COLO., Aug. 1.—The astronomers from Rawlin and other points met here yesterday for a comparison of notes and discussion of the observation. Prof. Watson feels certain he has discovered Vulcan southwest of the sun about two degrees distant. Prof. Draper succeeded in getting a photograph of the spectrum of the corona, thus proving that most of the light of the corona is reflected from the sun, and is not due to ignited gas.

Verdict in the Poisoning Case.
CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 1.—A special dispatch from Cleveland says: "The coroner's verdict in the poisoning case at Madam Somers' dress making establishment, which resulted in the death of Mary McDavett, was that the deceased came to her death by her own hand while insane. As the testimony showed she was a general favorite among the girls employed with her, why she should wish to poison them remains as great a mystery as ever."

Postponed.
SARATOGA, N. Y., August 1.—In consequence of the wet weather the races have been postponed until to-morrow.

Greenbackers.
LEWISTON, ME., Aug. 1.—The greenbackers of the second district to-day nominated Solon Chase for Congress.

Littell's Living Age for this week has been received, full of interesting and instructive reading matter.

If success depends upon health surely health depends upon pure blood. Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture maintains the blood in a state of purity, and health is the result.

[From Harry C. Shafer, the Champion Base Ball Player.]

BOSTON, July 13, 1874.
Dr. W. M. Giles: In the match between the Athletics of Philadelphia, and the Boston Club, played July 13, 1874, at Boston, I fell and displaced my left knee cap. Your agent fortunately happened to be present. He instantly applied your Liniment, and with instant relief. I was able to continue the game. The day following played Brooklyn, and the day after in Philadelphia; then sailed for Europe. With gratitude I now communicate this fact, and with the desire that every gymnast should know of the good to be derived from your valuable discovery, as without its use I should certainly have been unable to accomplish what I did.

HARRY C. SHAFFER,
31 Bascom Boston Base Ball Club.
Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro. Send for pamphlet.
Dr. GILES, 130 West Broadway, N. Y.
Trial size 25 cents.

DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER.—There is probably no other baking powder manufactured that has become so much of a household word as Dooley's Yeast Powder. For twenty years it has stood before the public, and the innumerable testimonials that have been called forth voluntarily, testify fully to its merits.

UNTIL the first of September you can avail yourself of the advantage to procure bargains at my closing out sales. After said date I hope to see you at my new store, 904 7th street, Washington, D. C.

SPECIAL OFFERINGS THIS MORNING.—We offer for sale on our counter 150 dozen Silk Handkerchiefs, in all shades and patterns, at 15 cts. apiece—a real bargain. Also 50 pieces of Stevens' best Crash; 25 pieces, all wool, Flannel; 10 pieces black, all wool, Cashmere. A new style and design in Bracelets for ladies, and a magnificent lace tie, white and black, very fine, at 50 cents—worth 52c. The above goods have just arrived and been bought from first hands at an immense sacrifice. Call and see for yourself.

LIVER IS KING.—The Liver is the imperial organ of the whole human system, as it controls the life, health and happiness of man. When it is disturbed in its proper action, all kinds of ailments are the natural result. The digestion of food, the movements of the heart and blood, the action of the brain and nervous system, are all immediately connected with the workings of the Liver. It has been successfully proved that Green's August Flower is unequalled in curing all persons afflicted with Dyspepsia or Liver Complaint, and all the numerous symptoms that result from an unhealthy condition of the Liver and Stomach. Sample bottles to try 10 cents. Positively sold in all towns on the Western Continent. Three doses will prove that it is just what you want.

PAINTS OF ALL COLORS, in oil and dry, for sale cheap.
FRANK & NALLS,
cor. King and Columbus sts.

TRY OUR CHOICE POO CHOW OOLONG TEA received to-day by
J. C. MILBURN.

5 TIERCES REFINED LARD received and for sale by
K. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

SMALL HAMS for sale by
GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

CHATHAM VILLAGE, N. Y., August 1.—U. S. Marshal Payn's paper mill, near this village, was burned this morning. Loss \$60,000; insured for \$25,000.

PATERNON, N. J., August 1.—The six ice houses of the Passaic Ice Company were burned down by a supposed incendiary fire, about half past five o'clock this morning. They were located on Old Ham, a suburb of this city, and contained about fifteen thousand tons of ice; the company's entire stock—valued at sixty thousand dollars in the aggregate. It is impossible at this time to tell how much, if any, can be saved. The houses were worth about five thousand dollars. There was no insurance on either buildings or stock.

Found Dead.
NEW YORK, August 1.—Henry Smith, a member of the Jersey City police force was found dead in bed by his wife this morning; his skull having been crushed. Mr. and Mrs. Smith had both been chloroformed as the deed was perpetrated without the latter knowing anything of it.

Bankrupt.
CHICAGO, August 1.—Charles W. Rigdon, real estate dealer, has filed a bill in bankruptcy. His secured debts amount to \$258,000 of which \$120,000 are due the Scottish-American Mortgage Company. Unsecured debts are \$18,000.

MILESTONES ON THE ROAD TO HEALTH.
The recovery of digestion and the resumption of activity by the liver, bowels and kidneys are milestones which mark our progress on the road to health. They speedily become perceptible when Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is used by the invalid. Nothing so surely and expeditiously consumes the distance to the desired goal. As no bodily function can suffer interruption without impairing the general health of the system, so the system can never acquire perfect vigor, health's synonym, until that function be actively resumed. No better instance to quote, of a suspension of which is invariably rectified by the Bitters. If the organs upon which it devolves grow weak, biliousness, constipation, headache, poverty of the blood, and a hundred other symptoms, supervene, which indicate unmistakably the beneficial general influence of dyspepsia. The disappearance of all these symptoms through the use of the Bitters shows with what thoroughness it removes their cause.

QUININE AND ARSENIC form the basis of many of the Ague remedies in the market, and are the last resort of physicians and people who resort to medicine to cure the Ague. In this distressing complaint, the effects of either of these drugs are destructive to the system, producing headache, intestinal disorders, vertigo, dizziness, ringing of the ears, and depression of the constitutional health. AYER'S AGUE CURE is a vegetable discovery, containing neither quinine, arsenic nor any deleterious ingredient, and is an infallible and rapid cure for every form of Fever and Ague. Its effects are permanent and certain, and no injury can result from its use. Besides being a positive cure for Fever and Ague in all its forms, it is also a superior remedy for Liver Complaints. It is an excellent tonic and restorative as well as a cure of all complaints peculiar to malarious, marshy and miasmatic districts. It acts directly on the liver and biliary apparatus, thus stimulating the system to a vigorous, healthy condition. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

I HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM NEW YORK, and have now in stock a fine and select assortment of Clothing and Gents. Furnishings as can be found in any of the largest cities, and VERY CHEAP. I can fit a child of six years and a man of 300 lbs weight. My Fine Dress and Business Suits are as good as can be made by any merchant tailor; and in Underwear my variety is complete, including Gauze Shirts at 20c, Lisle Thread Shirts at \$2, and Linen Drawers at \$1.75; two fine four ply Linen Collars for 25 cents, &c., &c.

S. DEATHAM,
62 King st., s. w. corner Fairfax

AN UNDENIABLE TRUTH.—You owe to yourself, and to your family, a more satisfactory life in this beautiful world, it is entirely your own fault and there is only one excuse for you—your unreasonable prejudice and skepticism, which has kept thousands. Personal knowledge and common sense reasoning will soon show you that Green's August Flower will cure you of Liver Complaint, or Dyspepsia, with all its miserable effects, such as sick headache, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, habitual costiveness, dizziness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, &c. Its sales now reach every town on the Western Continent and not a Druggist but will tell you of its wonderful cures. You can buy a Sample Bottle for 10 cents. Three doses will relieve you.

BOYS' SHOES! Boys' Shoes! Boys' Shoes! Largest and cheapest stock in the city.
W. B. WADDEY, 110 King st.

IF YOU WANT A FIRST CLASS BOOT OR SHOE, of the finest material, best workmanship and perfect fit, go to WADDEY'S, No. 110 King street.

EXQUISITE LOW QUARTER SHOES very cheap at
WADDEY'S, 110 King st.

AN ELEGANT STOCK OF SPRING AND SUMMER Boots and Shoes for gentlemen's wear at WADDEY'S, 110 King st., Alex., Va. [ap 9]

LEGAL NOTICES.
OFFICE OF THE CITY GAS WORKS, Alexandria, July 31, 1878.

All in arrears for gas will please remember that according to notice as published, THE FLOW OF GAS WILL BE STOPPED FROM all delinquents on the 1st of August.

J. ROXBURY, Sup't.
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MAYOR'S OFFICE. Alexandria, Va., July 26, 1878.

PROCLAMATION.—Liquor Dealers, Commission Merchants, Dealers in Tobacco, Auctioneers, Keepers of Houses of Private Entertainment, Ordinary Keepers, Persons Selling or Changing, Butchers, Ricketers, Green Grocers, Ice Dealers, Peddlars, Dealers in Wood and Coal, Owners of Horses, Wagons, Carts &c., and all others taxed under the laws of the Corporation and assessed by the Commissioner of Revenue, are hereby notified to come forward without further delay and pay the amount of license tax assessed against them respectively. Persons failing to pay by the 10th day of August next will be dealt with as the law directs.

K. KEMPRE,
Mayor.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS.
Collectors' Office, Alexandria, Va., July 3, 1878.

The City Council of Alexandria having refused to extend the time for the collection of delinquent taxes, persons in arrears for taxes will have to call in the next five days at the Collectors' office, and make some arrangement for an immediate settlement; else the Collectors will have to proceed to the collection of such bills by distraint or otherwise.

HILL, Col. N. Dist.
S. K. FIELD, Col. 2d Dist.
Office—Room No. 6 Royal st. front Market building.
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NEW DRY GOODS.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
No. 100 King street, July 25th, 1878.

We received per express to-day: Lawns, Percales, White Goods, Table Damask, Towels and Napkins, Summer Suitings, &c., &c., together with the best assortment of Medium and Light Calicoes offered this season.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. Hoopes, No. 100 King street,
Alexandria, Va.
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NEW CROP TEAS at
J. C. MILBURN'S.

PRIME LEMONS AND ORANGES at
J. C. & F. MILBURN'S.

EXCURSIONS, PICNICS, &c.

SELECT MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.
OLD DOMINION COMMANDERY, NO. 11, KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Will give a select Moonlight Excursion to MARSHALL HALL, on THURSDAY, August 15th, 1878, on the steamer MARY WASHINGTON.

Prof. Medley's Celebrated String Band has been engaged for the occasion.

The boat will leave Washington at 6:30 and Alexandria at 7:15 p. m.; returning, arrive at Alexandria about 12 o'clock and Washington about 1 a. m.

Tickets—Gentleman and lady 75c; lady's ticket 25c—which can be purchased of either of the following gentlemen of the committee: J. H. D. Smoot, W. K. Davidson, Harry Smoot, Edgar Warfield and Geo. F. Steiner.

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GRAND MOONLIGHT EXCURSION ON the large, swift and commodious steamer JOHN W. THOMPSON, to MARSHALL HALL, on TUESDAY, August 13, 1878.

The steamer will leave Reed's wharf at 7:30 p. m.; returning at 2 a. m. Music will be furnished by Prof. Medley's Band. The committee reserve the right to reject all improper persons. Arrangement have been made with the proprietors to furnish supper at 50c.

Tickets—Gentleman and lady 50c; lady's ticket 25c—to be had of any of the committee. Committee of Arrangements—E. H. O'Brien, R. M. Latham, Geo. Bossart, J. Marriott Hill, J. H. Waterman and B. F. Atwell.

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SPECIAL BOAT TO WASHINGTON.
The ferry steamer will leave Alexandria at 6 and 7:30 p. m. FRIDAY, August 2d, for the convenience of parties wishing to visit the Shutescroft or spend the evening in Washington. Tickets, round trip, 25c. Boat leaves Washington at 12:15 a. m.

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100 MILES RIDE ON THE POTOMAC FOR TEN CENTS!
J. M. HILL & CO., Managers

Steamer Mary Washington
Will leave her wharf, foot of Prince st., EVERY MONDAY AND FRIDAY, at 10:30 a. m., returning at 4 p. m.